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SUBJECT:PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON STEEL

1. INTERAGENCY TRADE POLICY REVIEW GROUP DECIDED EARLIER
THIS MONTH THAT USG SHOULD DEVELOP A PROPOSAL FOR AN
INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON STEEL. A PROPOSAL IS CURRENTLY
UNDER INTERAGENCY REVIEW AND HAS BEEN DISCUSSED IN
PRELIMINARY TERMS WITH STEEL ISAC. PROPOSAL DOES NOT
INVOLVE ANY CARTEL-LIKE ARRANGEMENT SIMILAR TO THE MULTI-
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FIBER AGREEMENT (MFA). NO DECISION HAS BEEN MADE AS TO
HOW AND WHERE THE PROPOSAL COULD BE NEGOTIATED. WHEN THE
PROPOSAL IS READY, POSTS MAY EXPECT FULLER DETAILS AND
VISIT OF A WASHINGTON TEAM TO BEGIN DISCUSSIONS WITH EC AND
GOJ. FOR THE PRESENT, POSTS SHOULD MAKE NO COMMENT ON
EXPECTED USG INITIATIVE. VANCE

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